

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

William A. White, II et al

Application. No.: 10/071,604

Confirmation No.: 5361

Filed: February 8, 2002

For: RESIDUAL ERROR HANDLING IN A CAN NETWORK

Examiner: Torres, Joseph D.

Art Unit: 2133

**REPLY TO ELECTION REQUIREMENT
IN OFFICE ACTION MAILED SEPTEMBER 12, 2005**

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Commissioner:

This Reply is submitted in reply to the Official Action mailed September 12, 2005. This Reply is being submitted within the one (1) month shortened statutory time period. Accordingly, no fee is required. Nonetheless, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 23-0280 in connection with any fees associated herewith.